## a Is at The May Store

riment throughout this great store is stocked with the most complete line of goods estions, and many things are mentioned here that have just the little touch of exclustmas only twelve days off, you should make it a point to begin your Christmas shopp-things to be had to-morrow that later on could not be bought for love or money; remember, keep to right; use moving stairway; it avoids crowding at elevators.



## oat Offer at \$16.50

can consider yourself lucky in waiting. Coats easily worth gments, a few of each of the best-selling styles we have er "Printzess" Coats in all the new loose-fitting 50-inch ments and the beautiful Empire styles, made of fine ker-These garments are all silk lined throughout in light embroidered; colors black, brown,

to fit either ladies for Monday's selling . -

> \$10.00 Sable and Russian Gray Squirrel Stocks \$5.95 These are very jaunty little neck

pieces, in a variety of new styles; standing collar and fancy tabs trimmed with buttons; good, sound skins and very dressy; regular \$10.00 special to-morrow . 5.95 values; priced

### \$37.50 to \$50.00 Swagger Velvet Street Suits Only \$29.50

There is nothing more appropriate to make your wardrobe complete than one of these swagger Velvet Suits. They are the correct street attire for cold days, and go handsomely with your furs. We have | them in the newest short, jaunty Etons, blouse and bolero effects; beautifully garnitured and lined with white silk; the new Princess high bodice belt of silk to match shade of velvet; skirts are full pleated and full flaring; colors black, blue, green, plum and other shades; a few sample garments are included in this lot; \$37.50 to \$50.00 Velvet Suits priced 20 50

### Christmas Presents with close-rolled steel rods and best frames with case

er and horn; 26-inch size;

Continues

Women's extra fine quality olid ivory, genuine old trimmed. We 5.00 Monday, \$10 values

steel rod and frames, beautifully mounted in solid silver.

\$5.00 AND \$6.00 UMBRELLAS

\$3.25-Men's and Women's

All Pure Silk Umbrellas; best

gold, pearl, and carved ivory, in the latest designs and shapes; 26 to 28 inch size. Some of the handles in this lot are worth not less than \$6.00; to-morrow, 3.25 very special, at only

### Hosiery Specials

WOMEN'S SILK STOCKINGS, MID-Black silk Hose with high-grade hand silk embroidery, in magnificent floral designs; very choice patterns; regular \$2.50 values, priced, a pair, to-morrow....2.50 Cashmere Hose; imported English Goods; full regular made; double sole and merino heels and toe; actual \$1.0 values; .75 

First Floor-Aisle Five.

### Kid Gloves for Xmas.

ADIES' Extra Fine Quality French Kid Gloves, pique sewn, with beautiful two-toned embroidered backs; finished at the wrist with two large pearl clasps; these are the most perfect-fitting gloves | made; a nice glove box with every pair; this makes an 

LADIES' KID GLOVES \$1.50-Ladies' Two-Clasp Extra Quality Real French Kid Gloves, in all the stylish fall shades, including white and black; we fit and guarantee every pair we sell; a very attractive box given with every pair of these gloves; 1.50 the price to-morrow will be, the pair .....

First Floor-Near Main Entrance.

### What to Give for Xmas

If you wish to make a present, and one that will be greatly appreciated, buy a "May" Gift Certificate. No matter how much or how small ar, amount you wish to spend, these Certificates can be issued for that sum. In giving these certificates to a person, it enables him or her to select such articles as they like best.

### Opera Glasses

\$10.00 OPERA GLASSES \$7.50 -- Pearl Opera Glasses with beavy gold-plated barrel; also pret-OPERA GLASSES \$4.50-Pearl, white and Ori-

ental; heavy gold-plated tubes, including case; specially priced Monday, pair. . 4.50

### Silks for Christmas.

MONO SILK 59c-32-inch Fancy Kimono Silk, in light and dark grounds, large designs, beautiful new patterns, very acceptable for gift purposes. 59
This silk will launder. Our 8% quality, at .59

PEAU DE CYGNE 69:-19-inch Colored Pean de Cygne, and in every wanted color for street and evening wear; a very fine

mik with a very high luster; actual 85c value; to-morrow at ... 69 BLACK PEAU DE SOIE \$1.10-A limited quantity of fine off-silk 36 inch Black Peau de Soie; worth \$1.25 a yard.

Specially priced to-morrow, per yard.

BLACK PEAU DE SOIE \$1.00-Double-face Black Peau de Soiemade of the finest Italian sitk. This special quality was bought by us from a manufacturer who wished to close out this number. It's a regular \$1.29 value; to-morrow, a yard .... 1.00 First Floor-Main Aisle.

### Leather Goods.

ANITY BAGS \$1.03-Leather Vanity Bags; double back and front, 2 compartments, and fitted with a large purse; handle or strapped bag; Monday et 1.00

COLLAR AND CUFF BOXES \$1.00-Decorated celtuloid very large size Celtar and MAND BAGS 4.85-Genuine Walrus Hand

ted; a most serviceable hag, which 4.95 is sold at all times at \$50; Monday 4.95 BEADED PURSES \$1.65-Round snap-top the aded Purses, lands are sied, jet 1.00 and assorted colors; choice Monday. 1.00 PURSES 25e Small Slik Purses, decorned with elk spangles, a nice Christmas present at a small cost; Se value.

### Xmas Fans

ANS, 98c-Silver-spangled and silk chantilly Lace Fans; Houlton braid effects; spangled inlaid 

BLACK SILK FANS, 64.25-Black offk gauge Pans; heavily spangled in silver buteffects: Inlaid sticks. Pan, specially priced

\$12.00 PANS, \$3.05—Beautiful pink silk Fans; gold with insertion effects, embroadered and spangled in gold; regular 5.95

\$3.00 FANS, \$1.50-White Silk Mousseline

Fans, beautifully rainted with sprays of violets and spangled with gold and silver; carved ivery hardles; actual \$10.00 4.50

84.50 FANS, \$2.50 Black silk gauze and 

gied, silk mousieline Funs, in new shapes, heavily spangled: carved lvory and inlaid sticks; regular 6.2 Fans;

3.25

Fars, beautifully spanished in silver, with carved and iniald tvery sticks; regular \$6.30 value; to-morrow at... 3.85

white silk pass, \$1.25 White silk nouserstine pars, with white lace medal-liens, spangled in silver, ivory sticks; a splendid value,

Bags; extra large to-in, frame; nicely fit-

### Xmas Needlework

LOVE AND HANDKERCHIEF BOXES, 25c-They're made of China silk, in blue, pink, lavender and cardinal, with hand-painted celluloid covers. These boxes will make an appropriate gitt and at the same time are inexpensive. Priced to-morrow.....

GLOVE CASES 50c-Glove Cases made of imported floral silk, trimmed with cord and slik lined; very pretty 

with linen centers; four patterns to select from;

very pretty patierns; extra good values, Specially priced to morrow. 2.00 Bags; also Laundry Bags; made of art ficking and

distinct designs; in various colors to select from; 

embroidered edge; beautiful designs; in the regular DOYLIES AT ONLY toc-We will place on sale to-morrow

six wheels; also all face; regular 20c values. 

PIN CUSHIONS-Satin covered, lace and ribbon trimmed,

RENAISSANCE SQUARES -- 12-inch Renaissance Squares

in all handwork designs. Choice Monday, each ..........25 Same Squares, 18 inches, at 50c; the 24-inch size at......... 100 RENAISSANCE SCARFS \$2.00 Dresser Scarfs, size 18x54;

SEWING BAGS AT ONLY 50c - Sewing and Handkerchief PILLOWS 85c-Satin-top Pillows, filled with silk floss in 19

DRESSER SCARFS 95c - Table Scarfs, Pillow Shams and Table Squares, in cut-out work and embroidered, with scalloped

1.200 Teneriffe Doylies, with six-inch hand-drawn centers and

## ndkerchiefs Ever Held in St. Louis Begins Monday.

schod Handa fancy box; UKPS 15ced edges MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS 10c Plain white all-linen Handkerchiefs with % and % inch hem; splendid values; specially MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS 10c-Colorea bordered Men's Handkerchiefs

for fancy work, also a special line

of bordered Handkerchiefs with

priced special to-morrow.....10

real neat borders;

pure linen hand-embroidered initial Handkerchlefs, put up six in a priced, per box, Monday......85 fancy box; specially

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS 25c-Extra fine pure linen hand-embroidered inuta: Handkerchiefs, in a beautifui line of initials; put up six Hand-

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS \$5c-Extra fine quality of hanc-embroidered initial Handkerchiefs with 15inch hemstitched edge; large size; specially priced 

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS 50c-Very fine quality of pure linen Handkerchiefs, with hand-embroidered initial, something extra good, price special each.....50

### Cars 75c rney Oldfield Mechani-

cal Racing

Model-8 % inches long: nicely lithographed, with two passengers; rubber tires; exactly like Lovville, only 75 cents.

ony Bouls me-These dolle pretty faces, movable eyes, seved shore and stockings and by dependable, regular Be .69

heads; movable eyes, full sewed feinted at hip and anes. SLE: priced for Menday .98

'oyville" Monday MAGIC LANTERNS-Complete in fancy display box, including 6 slides and 6 circular slides, brass lan-terns, good burner. Spe-cial value on Monday at

> MAGIC LANTERNS, Se-Russian fron body, square shaped, claw feet, nickelplated telescope lens, latest improvedregulating thumb-screw for adjusting the focus. Corrugated elbom smokestack and thalides. A spiendid bargain - Monday only .39

COASTER SLEDS, SLAS-The Flyer Sleds that steer, substantially constructed of good seaponed bickory wood, micely varnished; an excellent coaster Special 1.48

EAD SOLDIERS, Sie-Various colored

lead soldiers of army, cavalry and in-

# Boys' Clothing for Xmas

B OYS' NOVELTY SUITS \$4.95 - Boys' Buster Brown and Blouse Suits, made of all-wool serge, corded velvet and Venetian cloth, in red, navy blue, brown and royal, in the much-wanted Eton or sailor styles; regular \$7.50 values-

to-morrow, special only..... BOYS' OVERCOATS \$5.75-Good Warm Boys' Overcoats, cut very long, in single or double breasted styles, plain black and Oxford gray friezes; also fancy Scotch mixtures, sizes 7 to 16: \$7.50 values-

to-morrow at only..... BOYS' SWEATERS 95e-Boys' Sweaters, made of finest lambs' wool, closely knit; single or double collars; in all sizes; in plain colors and college stripes: \$1.50

values; priced specially for to-morrow, only...... BOYS' BLOUSES 29e-Boys' Blouses in all shades and patterns; sizes from 5 to 14; in extra quality of percale and cheviot; regular 50c quality; specially priced for to-morrow only....

(Fourth Floor.)

# SOCIAL SIDE OF

Many Brilliant Womes Come Into Prominence With Campbell-Bannerman Regime.

WEALTHY LIBERAL LEADERS

Liberal Entertaining Will Recov er Much of Solid Magnificence That Characterized It in Days of Old-Fashioned

Whiggiam.

SPECIAL BY CABLE

London, Dec. 9.—(Copyright, 1985.)—The chief amusement in society circles this week has been Cabinet making. The Liberal newspapers have been busy on it, too, but, beyond the fact that Sir Henry Campbell-Rannerman is now the Prime Minister, who his supporters will be cannot possibly be known before Monday, so that statements made on high authority by the newspapers as to who will fill this and that office are purely surmise or a case of the wish being father to the thought.

What is interesting society women, of course, is who will be the new Mistress of the Robes and who will be the new Vicercy of Ireland On this point a writer in the Daily Mail says that from a purely sacial point of view, the next Liberal administration will be one of the most remarkable on record.

Enormous wealth is vested in the persons of the leading politicians on the Liberal side and, during the life time of the next minustry, Liberal entertaining will recover much of the solid magnificence which characterized it in the days when Holland House was the temple of liberalium, and noble families of England gather alliance to old-fashioned whingism.

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The Countess of Crewe, a personal friend of the Queen, will probably be made Mistress of the Robes, as the daughter of a Liberal ex-Premier and the wife of an Earl of the most pronounced Liberal views. Lady Crewe is a political as well as a social potentate, well trained in politics, immensely wealthy, so there can be little doubt that Lady Crewe will take her place among the foremost Liberal hostesses and Crewe House may become one of the social headquarters of official liberalism.

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As wife of the Liberal Premier, who himself enjoys the reputation of having the best cuissine and the best wishes in London, Lady Campbell Bannerman will be called on to do a certain amount of official entertaining.

As leader of a small but very exclusive set of intellectual politicians, Mrs. Asquith will shine among the Liberal host-esses of the old Radical stock. Mrs. Asquith is one of the best diessers in society, a brilliant conversationalist, and she can be relied upon to make their roomy, old-fashloned house in Cavendish Square a great gathering place for the party leader.

Lady Beauchamp T'' take her place for the first time arac, the Liberal host-esses. As Lady Lettice Grosvenor, her marriage to the young Earl Reauchamp was a great social event in 1902. She is the stepdaughter of the Right Honorable George Wyndham, sister of the Indee of Westminster and niece by marriage of the Princess of Waies. Lady Beauchamp occupies a position of great importance in the social and political worlds and is a valuable acquisition to the party. Fair and good looking, she dresses well and

Athough Mrs. Herbert Gladstone is the daughter of a stanch Tory. Sir Richard Paget she will assume her place among the liberal hostesses. She is a bright and pretty woman, with a sweet voice, and during the rece • sessions has often enertained ber husandle supporters down

tertuined her hussand's supporters down at their home.

One question, however, is signating those in inner political circles, and that is the position which Mrs. George Cornwallis West will take up, Many of the healing liberals predict she will repeat her political triumphs of the eighties, this time in behalf of Mr. Winston Churchill, She is proud of her clever son, who she expects to see lender of the Liberal party some day. She has cleared the air by resigning her post as dame president of the Primrose League.

Mr. Halfour has aiready vacated No. 19 Downing street and will reside at his old home at Carlion Gardens. This house was occupied by Mr. Choate while Ambassador here. Miss Alice Baifour, who has kept house for her brother at the official residence, is superintending their installation into the town house and the removal of the furniture.

ACADEMY OF SCIENCE

Thirty-Six Inches Long.

The heat Harry was not a girl. And so, to be revenue-I have his hair cut. He has kept his word.

Harry's hair has now attained a length of thirty-six inches. But this length the only remarkable thing about Harry. Like Samson of old, with his long locks. Harry has the strength of a giant, and like Kubelik, he is a wonder with the violin. The other hops pull it and call him Sisty. and he hasn't a mement's peace. He has have recovered the him the second of the second of the second of the control of the post Harry

angle of 10 degrees."

An aeropiane invented by M. Herbet almost faulis these conditions. It has been tested with motors of six horse power and tweive horse gower, but they proved too small. With a twenty-horse-p-wer motor the problem may be solved.

### **GETS \$500 FOR ATTACK** BY GAS METER INSPECTOR.

Yen York Woman Had Sard Company for \$20,000; Defendant Pleaded Self-Defense. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New York Diec 5.-A jury in Justice Branchard's court awarded E-9 to Albyna Green, jamitor of a flat bouse at No. 284 Avenue B. Who stad the New Amsterdam Gus Company for 12.56 Jamages for an alleged attack by John Riconey, a mean alliged attack by John Rooney, a mete instacto. For the company.
The plaintiff said she was in bed asleep
when Rooney, knocking at the deor,
awakened her. He demanded admittance
to check her gas meter, and because she
delayed told her she must be crazy, she
declared. She grabbed a poker and went
for him. She declared that he seized her
hand and severely hurs her, seizing a
lighted lamp, throw it at her. She
grabbed a kettle of water and got her fee;
worded

New York, Lee, 3.—Joseph P. Fernandes of No. 2014 Grove street, Jersey City, won the regard of Miss Lillan Moran of No. 27 Grand street, by helping two horses out of the mud in front of her home. Later he fel ill and was nursed back to health by Miss Moran. They were

Fire Companies at All Municipalities and School System In Coral Zone - Brick Immigra-

PECTAL BY CARLE Panama, Dec. 8.—(Copyright, 1995.)—38 feldman, Chief of the Canal Zone Fit Weldman, Chief of the Canal Zone I Department, announces that he is orgaing fire companies for all of the mun palities within the canal district, most important towns will have paid i men and the others will have paid in the and the others will have paid the The Superintendent of Public School expected to arrive this week to insugur a school system.

A Water Commissioner for the city Panama also is expected on the name to devise a system of water rents at the recilection.

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Many families are coming to the from the United States. The above yellow fever the approach of the dry son and the rapid rise of habitable ters are the cause.

### DISLIKES THE PLAY: FIGHTS THE ACTOR.

Performance, Because He This Leading Character In Present ment of Himself.

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No single commanding fine personality will overshadow the dozen or more notable women who will essay the rote of Liberal hostess. There will be many lobstesses of glmost equal political importance and, with a few exceptions, entertaining will be in the hands of the younger generation.

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### MAUDE GONNE

STUDIES ART.

Breiston in Her Divorce Suit, Which Has decupied Attention of Paris Court for Two Works, Expect-

Paris, Dec. 9.—(Copyright, 1995.)—The divorce suit of Miss Mand Genne has been occupying the last fortnight. A decision is expected in a few days.

Several members of the American and English colonies who knew Miss Mande Gonne and her husband, Major McBride, have been summoned to court to testify on one ride or the other. Among the friends of the couple, the affair causes the liveliest discussion—some championing the man, others the woman.

Major McBride is here, awaiting a decision. Miss Genne has been taking up seriously the study of art, which she began last winter. She is in the Julian studie, in the Rue de Berri, applying berselt zealously. Friends say it is too early yet to tell whether she has much takent for painting. SPECIAL BY CABLE.

### IMMIGRANT GIRL AN ELLIS ISLAND BRIDE.

un the social and political worlds and is a valuable acquisition to the party. Eatr and good looking, she dresses well ard is admirably fitted to lead what may be called the serious section of political smart society.

In the same rank with Lady Beauchamp must be included Lady Carrington, eider daughter of the King's friend, Lord Sufficiel Lady Carrington, too stands high at court. While her husband was one of the opposition, she excelled in political entertaining on a large scale, and her country parties are quite a feature of political society.

Lady Aberdeen and her daughter, Lady Majorie Sinclair, provide the enty instance of a mother and a daughter both ranking among the party hostesses. The grand-daughter of the Prime Minister and necessification, is keenly interested in therapism, is cut out for the role of a great liberal hostess. She is the tallest woman in smart society.

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### HAS NEVER HAD HIS HAIR CUT.

SPECIAL BY CARLE.

Paris, Dec. 2.—(Copyright, 1983.)—The problem of serial navigation was alseused before the Academy of Science this week by M. Beslandies, who concluded that the conquest of the air "will be practically effected when means can be found to attach to an acceptance a motor sufficiently rigid as not to disturb the equilibrium of the apparatus, jet powerful enough to attain a velocity of at least ten meters per second, while possessing sufficient navigability to surmount aerial currents at an angle of Pt degrees.

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